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## GERMAN NOTE AROUSES BRITISH WRATH

England Discredits Sincerity  
of Teutonic Representations  
in Submarine Cases; Scath-  
ing Denunciations.

CONSIDERS GERMAN  
INHUMANITY PROVED

German Official Investigations  
Are Subject of Caustic Re-  
ferences in England's Iron-  
ical Reply.

LONDON, March 7.—The British re-  
ply to Germany's note rejecting Eng-  
land's offer of an investigation of the  
Baralong case by a court of American  
naval officers, according to Germany's  
intention to adopt measures of reprisal,  
was issued tonight. The British  
reply disclaims any intention to fur-  
ther discuss its charges of inhumanity  
of Germany's sea warfare, which it  
holds has been amply proven.

The Baralong, a British patrol boat,  
last fall was sunk by a German sub-  
marine. Allegations were made that  
the Baralong crew afterwards killed  
by the submarine crew, while the lat-  
ter were in the water or aboard the  
American steamer Nicosian, which  
picked them up.

Commenting on Germany's state-  
ment that her officers had been ac-  
quitted of all blame after thorough  
examination in the three cases which  
Great Britain asked Germany to refer  
with the Baralong case to an American  
naval board, the sinking of the Arabic,  
destruction of a stranded British sub-  
marine by a German destroyer, a Ger-  
man submarine attack on the British  
steamer Ruel, the note says the Ger-  
man version of the sinking of the Ar-  
abic is not only improbable but directly  
contrary to all evidence the British  
government possesses.

"What is the counter evidence which  
the German government relies on?"  
says the note. "Has the captain of  
the submarine been tried for murder?  
Has he even been accused of any deed  
which in German eyes is not meritori-  
ous? If, as His Majesty's government  
believes, he sank the Arabic without  
warning, does the German government  
so far agree with the rest of the world  
as to treat that action as a crime? If  
they do, why should it hesitate to con-  
demn the sinking of the Lusitania? If  
not, why investigate the case of the  
Arabic?"

The note says the British govern-  
ment finds it difficult to believe the  
German version of the attack on the  
stranded submarine based on the re-  
port of any responsible German officer.  
"In any case," the note continues, "it  
is wholly untrue. There was no en-  
gagement. The submarine had been  
four hours ashore before German de-  
stroyers attacked her. Her crew were  
endeavoring to save themselves from  
being shot in the water by machine  
guns and shrapnel. The incident oc-  
curred in the presence of Danish de-  
stroyers. This can be proved by testi-  
mony, both British and neutral. At  
what value after this are we to rate  
any thorough investigation as thor-  
oughness is practiced by German au-  
thorities?"

### LANDSLIDE WRECKS TRAIN

PORTLAND, Ore., March 7.—A land  
slide in Spokane, Portland, and Seat-  
tle Railroad, two miles from Fall-  
bridge, Washington, hurled a west-  
bound train from the track, seriously  
injuring the engineer and fireman.  
Telegraph lines went with the slide  
and details are meagre.

### DROWNED IN HOT WATER

CONNELLSVILLE, Penna., March 7.  
—Four men were drowned and a num-  
ber injured when the roof covering a  
vat of hot water in the B. & O. rail-  
road shops collapsed during a relig-  
ious meeting. The men were assem-  
bled to hear an evangelist. A number  
crawled to the covering of the vat. It  
collapsed under the weight.

### GERMAN SHIP SEIZED.

LISBON, March 7.—Four German  
steamers which had taken refuge in  
a port in Portuguese east Africa have  
been seized and the Portuguese flag  
hoisted. The crews of the vessels  
were interned.

## MRS. VINCENT ASTOR AT PALM BEACH



Each day it is noted that the ranks of the social elite at Palm Beach  
are being swelled by the arrival of some new groups or parties to add to  
the gaiety of the life at the Florida resort. Recently Mr. and Mrs. Vincent  
Astor responded to the lure of the balmy southern skies. Photo shows Mrs.  
Astor on the beach under her white parasol.

## ATTACKERS FAIL IN CARRYING DOUAUMONT

Germans Lose in Attempt to  
Take Positions from French  
—Have Transferred Hard-  
est Fighting Elsewhere.

PARIS, March 7.—Folled in their ef-  
forts to carry Douaumont, the Ger-  
mans are now turning their attention  
to other parts of the line, driving the  
French from position; west of Meuse,  
while their artillery keeps the French  
busy elsewhere. The infantry is  
making attacks on the Woivre dis-  
trict in the vicinity of Fresnes. The  
first result of the new drive was that  
the Germans took Forges and ad-  
vanced further south and southeast.  
The capture of Forges is the only ad-  
vance post, not strongly held, is ap-  
parently the first step in a serious at-  
tempt to storm the long line of the  
Meuse to Forges Brook.

Fire from the highest points along  
this crest and the Mort Homme and  
Oie hills, which took the Germans in  
the rear when they were attacking  
Douaumont by way of Vacherauville,  
was partly responsible for the failure  
of Sunday, while the violent and per-  
sistent fire of German artillery had  
little effect on the French batteries  
along the crest.

The desire of the Germans to re-  
duce the awkward salient formed by  
the Meuse north of Verdun was antici-  
pated by the French who have fully  
prepared its defense with every con-  
fidence that the German attempt will  
only result in heavy loss to the at-  
tacking forces.

### PRISONERS OF VILLA

EL PASO, March 7.—Charles New-  
man, a representative of the Palomas  
Land and Cattle Company, was not-  
ified that Arthur McKinney, foreman  
and fourteen Mexican employees of the  
company had been taken prisoners by  
Villa. They were captured at a point  
adjoining the Bosques Ranch 35 miles  
south of the border. They were en-  
gaged in a round-up.

### FRICTION IN GREECE.

ATHENS, March 7.—Further fric-  
tion occurred between Greek and Bul-  
garian soldiers along the frontier. A  
Greek soldier inadvertently crossed  
the border and was made prisoner by  
the Bulgarians. The demand that he  
be released not being complied with  
three additional regiments of Greek  
troops were sent to Drama, 30 miles  
northeast of Seres.

## CHURCHILL SAYS ENGLISH NAVY NEEDS LIFE

Former First Lord of the Ad-  
miralty Declares Admiral  
Fisher Should be Returned  
as First Sea Lord.

LONDON, March 7.—Winston  
Spencer Churchill, former First Lord  
of the Admiralty, and now a Colonel  
fresh from the trenches, sprang back  
into the Parliamentary arena in a dar-  
ing speech answering First Lord of  
the Admiralty Balfour, who had just  
presented the naval estimates and de-  
claring that the Admiralty lacked the  
driving force and must be revitalized  
before it was too late by bringing  
back Lord Fisher, former First Sea  
Lord and head of the Admiralty ad-  
ministration.

Balfour had just finished an optimis-  
tic statement on the naval outlook.  
Colonel Churchill's statements were  
at first received coldly but he gradu-  
ally gathered attention and applause  
from the House until it closed amid  
a scene of enthusiasm. He referred  
to his remarks as "a jarring note and  
warning," which had to be given. He  
was not satisfied concerning the pro-  
gress of naval construction. If the  
program had been carried out it was  
a margin of safety if not danger.

"We must provide not only against  
Germany's formerly known program,  
but also her unknown program, which  
she surely has been developing to the  
utmost. Submarine menace must be  
met. We must guard against unex-  
pected dangers. The great remedy for  
the Zeppelins is to destroy them in  
their sheds. I cannot understand why  
the policy of Lord Fisher and myself  
was not carried out in raids on these  
sheds at Dusseldorf and Wilhelmsh-  
aven."

He concluded with an earnest ap-  
peal against "negative and strategic  
policy" of the naval board.

### FOREST RESERVES COMBINED.

EL PASO, March 7.—The Alamo  
and Lincoln National Forests of New  
Mexico will be combined April 1, it  
was announced. The action was de-  
termined Monday at a conference of  
the District Foresters of Texas, New  
Mexico and Arizona. C. H. Jennings,  
supervisor of the Sitgreaves Forest,  
Arizona, will have charge. No change  
in the range force is contemplated.

### SNOW IN CASCADES.

SEATTLE, March 7.—A heavy  
snow has been falling for two days  
in the Cascade mountains. The rail-  
roads are having trouble moving their  
trains.

## EL PASO FIRE SUBJECT OF INQUIRY

Statements of Witnesses of  
the Affair Are Being Taken  
by County Authorities for  
Coroner's Inquest.

GRAND JURY ALSO  
MAY INVESTIGATE

Car Service to Juarez Resum-  
ed. Established that Pris-  
oner, Now Dead, Was Re-  
sponsible for Disaster.

EL PASO, March 7.—Statements of  
witnesses of the fire and explosion  
yesterday in the county jail, which  
caused the death of eighteen prisoners  
and the serious injury of twenty-two,  
were taken by county officials for  
presentation to the coroner's jury to-  
morrow. The grand jury will also in-  
vestigate, it was announced.

The disaster occurred while the  
prisoners were being bathed in vola-  
tile disinfecting fluid under the super-  
vision of the health authorities. The  
statement of guards and others con-  
firmed the story that the explosion fol-  
lowed the striking of a match by H.  
M. Cross, who died last night.

Street car traffic, which was sus-  
pended last night, following the  
shooting of Charles Phelps, a motor-  
man, in Juarez by an unidentified  
Mexican, has been resumed. Mexican  
soldiers are guarding each car while  
on the Mexican side. It is learned  
that a report was spread that 200  
Mexican prisoners were deliberately  
burned to death by victims of the ex-  
plosion who dashed naked through the  
flames sweeping the prison, through  
the streets, forded the Rio Grande  
and made their way to Juarez. The  
disorders which followed were check-  
ed by a heavy patrol sent out by the  
Carranza authorities. Phelps is re-  
ported slightly improved.

### TRAGEDY IS AIRED.

CHICAGO, March 7.—A marriage  
through newspaper advertisements  
brought an aftermath of tragedy when  
P. Ginetis shot his wife and killed  
himself at Matagorda, Texas, accord-  
ing to word received here. The  
daughter of Ginetis married when she  
was 16 Count De La Corralia, 74, as  
the result of an advertisement. Gine-  
tis and wife went to Texas to live  
with their son-in-law. They quarreled  
over religion and the shooting fol-  
lowed.

### LANDSLIDE STOPPED

MARSHFIELD, March 7.—A land-  
slide which threatened to carry Wed-  
derburn into the Rogue River, was  
stopped, according to advices from  
Gold Beach.

### CHINESE TROOPS VICTORIOUS.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The  
Chinese legation was officially advised  
that Chinese government troops cap-  
tured Po Yai and Sui Chow, two rebel  
strongholds, in the last four days.  
The rebel losses were heavy.

### MURDER AND SUICIDE

MOAB, Utah, March 7.—Three are  
dead and a child of six wounded as  
the result of shooting at the home of J. C.  
Turnbow, a wealthy rancher, who is  
awaiting trial on the charge of killing  
Clyde Bailey at Thompson, Utah, last  
December. The dead are Mrs. Turn-  
bow, and her two small children. The  
mother left a note stating she was in-  
nocent of an accusation of intimacy  
with Bailey which Turnbow made at  
the time of Bailey's death. The note  
said she thought it better the children  
should die. The wounded child will  
recover.

### FOUR INDICTED

NEW YORK, March 7.—After indict-  
ments had been returned against four  
men alleged to have been implicated  
in the shooting of a guard employed  
by manufacturers affected by the shirt-  
makers' strike. Assistant District At-  
torney said the prisoners informed him  
that they had been hired for \$100 by  
union leaders to "beat up and kill the  
strikebreakers." One admitted he  
"did agree to shoot anyone desired  
for a dollar."

### VERMONT DRIES LOSE.

RUTLAND, Vt., March 7.—  
Local option won over prohibi-  
tion by a margin of 13,000  
votes.

## ZAPATA AND FELIX DIAZ START NEW REVOLTS TO CRUSH CARRANZA'S POWER



Left, General Zapata. Top to bot-  
tom, right: Felix Diaz, Gen. Pablo  
Gonzales and General Carranza.

## CALLES ARRIVES IN EASTERN SONORA

Governor of State with Luis  
Cabrera Motor from Naco  
to Agua Prieta to Prove  
Safety of Border.

DOUGLAS, March 7.—Gen. Calles,  
the military governor of Sonora, and  
Luis Cabrera, the secretary and treas-  
urer of the Carranza cabinet, arrived  
in Agua Prieta from Hermosillo. The  
trip from Naco to Agua Prieta was  
made in an automobile. Calles and  
Cabrera rode ahead of the military  
escort for the purpose of demonstrat-  
ing that no armed Diaz partisans were  
operating along the border.

After a short visit to Agua Prieta,  
Calles and Cabrera started for Naco,  
accompanied by 150 soldiers for the  
purpose of investigating conditions  
there. Colonel Aguirre arrived  
at Agua Prieta with 350 soldiers.  
Four hundred troops are stationed at  
Naco and Nogales to patrol the bor-  
der.

United States troops, stationed be-  
tween Douglas and Columbus, N. M.,  
stated nothing had been heard of the  
Villa column reported to be approach-  
ing the border.

### VILLA COLUMN SIGHTED.

DOUGLAS, March 7.—A column of  
troops, supposed to be Villa soldiers,  
was sighted at Las Chimenas, Chi-  
huahua, according to advices received  
from El Tigre, the mining camp in  
eastern Sonora. This is forty-five  
miles east of Cajon de Chimenas,  
where the forces were reported last  
night. The troops are preparing for  
an indefinite stay, apparently.

### CANANEANS UNDER ARREST

DOUGLAS, March 7.—Twelve res-  
idents of Cananea, Sonora, including  
Judge Pedro Escandon, were arrested  
on orders from General Calles, accord-  
ing to persons arriving from that  
town. The twelve were sent to Her-  
mosillo for trial on charges of plotting  
in behalf of Felix Diaz, reported to  
have planned a new revolution in  
Mexico.

Major Francisco Aldos, Captain

## VINDICATION FOR WILSON BY WIDE MARGIN

Big Democratic Majority and  
Nearly Half Republicans of  
House Support Wilson, De-  
feating Resolution.

SPEAKER CLARK GETS  
BIG BIRTHDAY OVATION

Efforts to Warn Americans  
Off Armed Ships of Bellig-  
erents Killed in Tense and  
Turbulent Session.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Presi-  
dent Wilson decisively won his long  
fight to compel Congress to acknowl-  
edge that it stands behind him in his  
submarine negotiations with Germany.  
In a rally of cries of "Stand by the  
President," "Is it Lansing and Wilson,  
or Von Bernstorff and the Kaiser?" a  
big Democratic majority and nearly  
half the Republicans of the House  
rolled up an overwhelming vote  
against the movement to warn Ameri-  
cans off armed ships of European bel-  
ligerents. The final vote came after  
seven hours of a tense and turbulent  
session, tabling the McLemore resolu-  
tion by a vote of 276 to 142.

Speaker Clark celebrated his 68th  
birthday in the chair. The debate was  
held up and the Speaker cheered en-  
thusiastically when the fact was an-  
nounced by Republican leader Mann.

From the outset the President's sup-  
porters swept over the opposition with  
out regard to party. On the first vote  
the real test, the Administration car-  
ried the vote, 256 to 160. On that 182  
Democrats, 63 Republicans, and one  
Progressive voted in Wilson's support;  
21 Democrats, 132 Republicans, 5  
Progressives, one Independent, one  
Socialist voted against. President  
Wilson, calm and confident, heard the  
early reports of the voting in the Cab-  
inet room of the White House, with  
some of the cabinet with him. He told  
them he was much gratified by the sup-  
port of Congress. He was released  
from embarrassment by dissensions of  
Congress and now prepared to go on  
with the submarine negotiations.

The next step probably will be to  
answer Germany's last proposal to set-  
tle the Lusitania case in which case  
the United States probably will ask  
further assurances sufficiently broad  
and complete to guarantee the new  
submarine campaign will not endanger  
Americans travelling on merchant  
vessels. The President considers the  
action of the House sufficient answer  
to reports circulated in Berlin set-  
ting two to one against him in the crisis.  
One of the day's surprises was the  
failure of the so-called Bryan influ-  
ence to develop any appreciable  
strength against the President and the  
tribunes paid the President by almost  
all speakers. To a man they insisted  
that the President did not want war.

"It is charged that the President  
wants war," said Chairman Pou, of the  
Rules Committee, who opened the de-  
bate. "All the lips in Hell never de-  
vised a more infamous charge. No  
man since Abraham Lincoln has gone  
through such a test as President Wil-  
son in the last six months to avoid  
war. He has tried to preserve peace.  
He would not sacrifice a single life to  
make himself President for life."

### SEATTLE INCUMBENTS WIN

SEATTLE, March 7.—Incomplete re-  
turns from the city election show  
large majorities for Mayor Hiram Gill,  
the incumbent, and for Corporation  
Council Hugh Caldwell, Controller  
Harry Carroll and Treasurer Ed Terry.  
Gill's majority is estimated at 6000.

### HOOSIER REPUBLICANS ACTIVE

INDIANAPOLIS, March 7.—Returns  
from the first statewide preferential  
primary in Indiana up to 10 o'clock in-  
dicate an unusually heavy Republican  
vote, and falling off of the Democratic  
and Progressive.

### IMPORTANT LAND SUIT

SAN BERNARDINO, March 7.—  
What is expected to prove final action  
in the litigation involving the title to  
28,000 acres of polish lands around  
Searles Lake valued at \$100,000,000,  
was begun in the Superior Court when  
the California Trans Company filed  
suit for quit title to the property.

### OCOTELAN CAPTURED.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Ocotelan,  
thirteen miles south of Oaxaca, was  
captured by Carranza troops after  
what is described in unofficial ad-  
vices to the Mexican embassy as a  
"bloody" battle. Two unarmed rebel  
generals are reported killed.